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TAGS: SHUM, ELAB, CI

SUBJECT: ILA BOYCOTT OF CHILEAN SHIPPING

1. FOLLOWING INFO ON BOYCOTT OBTAINED FROM AFL-CIO
INTERNATIONAL DEPT: DECISION TO PROCEED AT THIS TIME
REACHED BASED ON RECENT GOC MOVES AGAINST FEBACH AND
INDICATED MOVES AGAINST COMACH AND OTHER BASES OF DINAMI-
COS, PLUS HARDER LINE TAKEN BY MINLABOR VASCO COSTA IN
RECENT INTERVIEW IN "ERCILLA".

2. ILA INTENT WAS TO STAGE SYMBOLIC 24 HOUR BOYCOTT
AGAINST ONE CHILEAN SHIP WITH PERISHABLE CARGO IN SAN
FRANCISCO AND ONE IN NEW YORK. CHILEAN CAPTAIN IN SAN
FRANCISCO CUT LINES AFTER 5 HOURS AND LEFT TO OFFLOAD IN
MEXICO. IN NEW YORK THE BOYCOTT, EFFECTIVE TODAY, COULD
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NOT BE LIMITED TO ONE SHIP, FOR TECHNICAL REASONS, SO IS
DIRECTED AT ALL (PROBABLY 4-5) CHILEAN SHIPS IN PORT.

3. AFL-CIO STATES IT ADVISED DEPARTMENT AS SOON AS
SPECIFIC ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR BOYCOTT, WHICH WAS NECES-
SARILY A LAST MINUTE AFFAIR. THEY WOULD HAVE BEEN VERY
RELUCTANT TO DISCLOSE PLANS SOONER FOR FEAR THAT SUCCESS

OF OPERATION MIGHT SOMEHOW HAVE BEEN JEOPARDIZED.

4. LAST MINUTE REPORT INDICATES THAT BOYCOTT HAS SPREAD
TO ALL U.S. PORTS AND THAT UNIONS DO NOT WANT GOC TO KNOW
THAT THE BOYCOTT WILL LAST ONLY 24 HOURS. CHRISTOPHER

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